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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)	Group Art Unit: 2871
Toshimitsu KONUMA et al.)	Examiner: Kenneth Parker
Serial No.: 08/698,204)	OIPE
Filed: August 14, 1996)	APR 1 7 2000 &
For: ELECTRO-OPTICAL DEVICE)	PADGMAR HOTEL

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified application. The shortened statutory period having expired March 15, 2000, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for 1 month. There is also attached our check in the amount of \$110.00 in payment for:

Extension fee for response within first month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$110.00) [\$55.00]. Extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$380.00) [\$190.00]. Extension fee for response within third month pursuant to §1.136(a) (\$870.00) [\$435.00].

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Respectfully submitted,

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